



Happy Holidays from the Town of Forest Heights
Mayor, Town Council Members, Town Administrator &
Staff.



Christmas Tree Lighting
AND CHRISTMAS CAROLS
FRIDAY, DECEMBER 3, 2021 6PM

COMMUNITY GATHERING PLACE  5431 Indian Head Highway
located next to Henry's Soul Cafe Forest Heights, MD 20745

LIGHT REFRESHMENTS WILL BE SERVED!

Calvin Washington, Mayor    @ForestHeightsMD
www.ForestHeightsMD.gov

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TOWN CLOSINGS

There will be no Mayor/Council Work Session on **Monday, December 6, 2021.**

The Town of Forest Heights offices will be closed **Friday, December 24, 2021** for Christmas Eve. We will reopen on **Monday, December 27, 2021.**

Our offices will also be closed **Friday, December 31, 2021** for New Years Eve. We will reopen **Monday, January 3, 2022**



On Thursday, November 11, 2021, Mayor Washington commemorated Veterans Day at the Seneca Drive Park Roundabout. Thanks to everyone who came out to witness, and our gratitude goes out to those who served.



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FOREST HEIGHTS THANKSGIVING GIVEAWAY



The Town of Forest Heights was able to give out over 50 turkeys and Thanksgiving baskets to residents in need as part of our Thanksgiving Giveaway. Thanks to Giant, Costco, PG County Police Athletic League, Anthony Wilson and Wegmans for their donations.

And thanks to Mayor Washington, Council President Taunya Hines, the Forest Heights Police Department and the Forest Heights Staff for passing out the turkeys to our residents. We hope that everyone will have a safe and happy holiday season!



The Town of Forest Heights would like to recognize and thank Officer Adams for attending the Prince George's County Vaccination for Children event held at the Sports and Learning Complex on Saturday, November 13th.

Officer Adams and the Town Comfort Dog, "Coach", provided a calming experience to many of the children who were experiencing anxiety while being vaccinated.



FOREST HEIGHTS

Coffee with a Cop

The Forest Heights Police Department will be having Coffee with a Cop on December 10 from 9am-11am at the McDonalds on Livingston Road. Come join us for a cup of coffee and a chat!



MAYOR AND COUNCIL THE TOWN OF FOREST HEIGHTS ORDINANCE NO. 05-21 (Rev.1)

AN ORDINANCE OF THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF FOREST HEIGHTS, MARYLAND REVISING ARTICLE 2 (ADMINISTRATION) OF THE TOWN ORDINANCE CODE, BY AMENDING SECTION 2.6 (HOLIDAYS) TO CONFORM WITH THE FEDERAL MONDAY HOLIDAY LAW; AND GENERALLY RELATING TO DECLARED HOLIDAYS IN THE TOWN OF FOREST HEIGHTS

Introduced By: Mayor Calvin Washington

Motion Passed November 17, 2021: Yea 7 Nay 0

UNA ORDENANZA DEL ALCALDE Y EL CONSEJO DE LA CIUDAD DE FOREST HEIGHTS, MARYLAND, QUE REvisa EL ARTÍCULO 2 (ADMINISTRACIÓN) DEL CÓDIGO DE ORDENANZA DE LA CIUDAD, ENMENDANDO LA SECCIÓN 2.6 (DÍAS FESTIVOS) PARA CONFORMARLO CON LA LEY FEDERAL DE LOS LUNES FESTIVOS; Y GENERALMENTE RELACIONADOS CON VACACIONES DECLARADAS EN LA CIUDAD DE FOREST HEIGHTS

Presentado Por: Alcalde Calvin Washington

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Exercise Group

NO EXERCISE CLASS DECEMBER 2, DECEMBER 7, DECEMBER 9

The Forest Heights Senior Exercise Class meets in the Municipal Building at 5508 Arapahoe Drive on Tuesdays and Thursdays at 12:00 noon. It is free for Forest Heights residents, and a great way to stay fit. Stop on by if you want to stay connected and stay active! Call 301-839-1030 for more information!



WINTER COAT DRIVE

NOVEMBER 15-DECEMBER 19, 2021

8:30AM-4:00PM

DROP OFF LOCATION

MUNICIPAL BUILDING

5508 ARAPAHOE DRIVE
FOREST HEIGHTS, MD 20745



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Nov, 15-Dec 19, 2021

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Town Hall,
5508 Arapahoe Drive Forest Heights,

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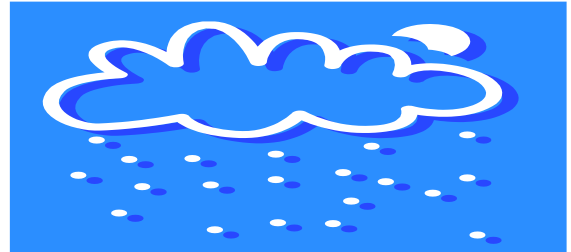
NEED A TRASH CAN?

Residents who are in need of a replacement trash can due to damage to your existing can may call the Town Administration Office or visit the Municipal Building. Call 301-839-1030 if you have any questions or need your can replaced.

PLEASE BE MINDFUL OF THE PARKING POLICY FOR SNOW EMERGENCIES

As stated in the Town Ordinance Section 15.3.2: Except as necessary to avoid conflict with other traffic or in compliance with law or the directions of a police officer or a traffic control device, no person shall stop, stand or park any vehicle or operate a truck or commercial vehicle as stated below in any of the following places within the Town:

On the side of any street opposite the streetlight poles during a snow created state of emergency as declared by Prince George's County pursuant to effective snow emergency plans. Vehicles so parked may be impounded pursuant to Section 15..



Keep your Sidewalk Clean: As we enter winter, please take the time to rake up any Yard Waste and keep it from spilling on the sidewalk. Grass clippings can be a tripping hazard, especially after wet weather. Failure to sweep up Yard Waste is subject to a fine under Article 19.1 of the Town Ordinance.



TOWN OF FOREST HEIGHTS JOB OPENINGS



PUBLIC WORKS CREWMAN II (Full-Time) POSITION OVERVIEW

General Statement of Duties: Performance in a variety of tasks involving construction, maintenance and repairs to the Municipal town roads, streets, storm sewers, facilities and equipment, parks and building maintenance.

Job Description: This Employee would perform manual tasks in the maintenance, construction and repair of town roads, streets and right-of-ways. The Road and Street Maintenance Worker may operate a truck, street sweeper, plow, heavy equipment, hand tools, motorized equipment, mowers, tractors and various other equipment. Employees in this position are expected to exercise some judgment in work methods and planning detail.

Go to www.forestheightsmd.gov for full job description and to fill out an application.

Healthy Heights Coordinator (Part-Time) POSITION OVERVIEW

The Town of Forest Heights is seeking a program coordinator to manage the Healthy Heights Program. The Healthy Heights Program includes, The Playful Town Program, The Let's Move Program, and Healthy Heights Senior Program initiatives and related duties as assigned.

Go to www.forestheightsmd.gov for the full description and to fill out an application.

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Get your Town of Forest Heights Information Electronically!

Stay Connected: Town Meetings Now on Facebook Live

Residents are invited to sign-up to receive updates on upcoming events, meeting notices, public safety notices/alerts, etc. Please email shawkins@forestheightsmd.gov if you would like to comment for public period.

It is easy to sign-up; just email shawkins@forestheightsmd.gov to start receiving information electronically from the Town of Forest Heights or call the Town Hall Administrative Office at 301-839-1030 for assistance. Visit us at www.forestheightsmd.gov. and/or check us out on Forest Heights Facebook.

May we have your email address?

WE'VE GOT YOU COVERED! AFFORDABLE CARE ACT OPEN ENROLLMENT.

AUTHORIZED
TO ENROLL
MARYLANDERS



The Affordable Care Act Open Enrollment Period for 2022 is open from **Monday, November 1, 2021 to Wednesday, December 15, 2021**. Go to Healthcare.gov to sign up for coverage, learn more information, or to keep or update your existing plan. If you don't act by **December 15**, you can't get 2022 coverage unless you qualify for a Special Enrollment Period. Plans sold during Open Enrollment start January 1, 2022.

Questions? Contact the Maryland Health Benefit Exchange at 1-855-642-8572 or go to www.marylandhealthconnection.gov.



ERAP HOTLINE

Emergency Rental Assistance Program

- FIND OUT YOUR APPLICATION STATUS
- GET YOUR QUESTIONS ANSWERED
- SCHEDULE AN APPOINTMENT

**Monday thru Friday
9AM-5PM**

 **301-883-6504**
and PRESS 9



prince george's county
Office of Community Relations



prince george's county
Department of Health

connecting people, connecting resources

PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY COVID-19 UPDATES

Federal and state health regulators expanded the eligibility of booster shots to all adults who received their second doses of Pfizer or Moderna vaccines at least six months ago; booster shots for adults who received the single-dose Johnson & Johnson vaccine at least two months prior were already approved. Booster shots of all three COVID-19 vaccines in the United States are available for all adults at Health Department clinics and other health care providers regionwide.



The FDA and the CDC now allow for mix and match dosing for booster shots. Eligible individuals who have a preference for a vaccine brand may choose which vaccine brand they receive as a booster dose. Vaccines are now available for children aged 5-11. Prince George's County Health Department will host after school vaccination clinics for students aged 5 and older. Check the PGCPHS website for updated lists of mobile vaccine clinic locations.

TIME FOR A FLU SHOT

Free flu shots available at the **D. Leonard Dyer Regional Health Center**, Monday-Friday, 9:00AM-3:00 PM at: **9318 Piscataway Road, 1st Floor, Room 175 Clinton MD**

Free flu shots also available at the **Cheverly Health Center**, Monday-Friday, 9:00 AM-3:00 PM at: **3003 Hospital Drive, Room 2114, Cheverly MD**




**NO APPOINTMENTS
REQUIRED!**

For more information about Prince George's County Flu Clinic schedules, call **301-583-3300**.





Community Calendar

December 2021

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1	2 Bulk Trash 3 items or less NO EXERCISE	3 Tree Lighting 6:00 PM Gathering Space	4
5	6 NO TOWN MEETING	7 NO EXERCISE CLASS	8	9 Bulk Trash 3 items or less NO EXERCISE CLASS	10 Coffee with a Cop 9AM-11AM McDonalds	11
12	13 Trash, Yard Waste and Recycling Pickup	14 Senior Exercise 12:00 PM	15 MAYOR/ COUNCIL TOWN MEETING 8pm via ZOOM DIAL 301-715-8592 Meeting ID: 563 484 463 	16 Bulk Trash 3 items or less Senior Exercise 12:00 PM	17	18 Children's Holiday Giveaway 2-5pm Municipal Building
19	20 Trash, Yard Waste and Recycling Pickup	21 Senior Exercise 12:00 PM	22	23 Bulk Trash 3 items or less Senior Exercise 12:00 PM Forest Heights Meet Santa Ride 5:30 PM	24 Christmas Eve Town Hall Closed	25 Christmas Day 
26	27 Trash, Yard Waste and Recycling Pickup	28 Senior Exercise 12:00 PM	29	30 Bulk Trash 3 items or less Senior Exercise 12:00 PM	31 New Years Eve Town Hall Closed	1 New Years Day 

January 2022

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
2	3 MAYOR/ COUNCIL WORKSESSION 7:30 pm DIAL 301-715-8592 Meeting ID: 860 083 16885 	4 Senior Exercise 12:00 PM	5	6 Bulk Trash 3 items or less Senior Exercise 12:00 PM	7	8
9	10	11 Senior Exercise 12:00 PM	12	13 Bulk Trash 3 items or less Senior Exercise 12:00 PM	14	15
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Local Forest Heights
Post Customer

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TOWN OF FOREST HEIGHTS

TOWN COUNCIL WORK SESSIONS

1st MONDAYS @ 7:30 PM

Dial-In: 301-715-8592 Meeting ID: 86008316885

TOWN MEETINGS

3rd WEDNESDAYS @ 8:00 PM

Dial-In: 301-715-8592 Meeting ID: 563484463

Weatherization Assistance Available: FREE HOME UPGRADES

Apply for weatherization upgrades that can make your home more energy efficient. The new and updated applications are here! Applications can be found at the Forest Heights Municipal Building or emailed on request. Applications can be dropped off at the mailbox at the municipal building. **Veterans and Retired homeowners will be given preference.** For more information, call 301-839-1030. Anyone who meets the income requirements is welcome to apply. Come check it out today!

Number of People Living in House	Owner(s) Only Annual Income Must Be Less than	Number of People Living in House	Owner(s) Only Annual Income Must Be Less than
1 ➡	\$57,750.00	2 ➡	\$66,000.00
3 ➡	\$74,200.00	4 ➡	\$82,500.00
5 ➡	\$89,100.00	6 ➡	\$95,700.00
7 ➡	\$102,300.00	8 ➡	\$108,900.00

Trash/Recycle Collection is to be placed at the curb the night before collection.



PICK-UP DAYS BEGIN AT 6:30 a.m.

MONDAY—Trash, Yard Waste & Recycling

Forest Heights Residents:

Yard Waste must be placed in paper bags or trash cans marked Yard Waste, paper bags should not be out all weekend especially if it's going to rain.

Tree limbs must be tied together in small bundles

Not to exceed 4 feet in length.

THURSDAY—Bulk (Three Items or Less) NO METAL

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Larry Vaughn, Public Works Director

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Senora Thompson Scott, Police Clerk

SenoraT@forestheightsmd.gov

Lisa White, Director of Communications

TFH_Media@forestheightsmd.gov

CODE ENFORCEMENT OFFICE

Joseph Hawkins, Code Enforcement Officer

codeenforcement@forestheightsmd.gov

Information Line (240) 493-6998

Non-Emergency (301) 352-1200

EMERGENCY DIAL 911

www.forestheightsmd.gov

ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICES

Phone (301) 839-1030 Fax (301) 839-9236

8:30a.m.—5:00 p.m.

NOTARY SERVICES-by appointment only

8:30a.m-4:00 p.m.